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WEATHER

Unsettled tonight, snow flurries Wed. colder; high today, 42; low last night, 33; precip. .94.

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COUNTY MINER MAROONED

WATER DISTRICT NAMES 3 DIRECTORS TOMORROW

Skiers Seek Geo. Gaskell, Gone 12 Days

Floyd Poole, 2 Others Start Trip To Mine

Forest service headquarters at Mosquito CCC camp reported at 3 o'clock this afternoon that the rescue party would "be lucky if they get back by 5 o'clock."

Placerville Ski Club rescue team got its first opportunity for service Tuesday morning when Captain Floyd Poole and another member, accompanied by Allan Swansborough, started into the Slate Mountain district to the rescue of George Gaskell, at the Crozier mine.

Gaskell, a war veteran, partially disabled, is reported to have gone to the mine twelve days ago and nothing has been seen of him or heard from him since that time.

It is reported his supply of provisions was not large and the severe weather of the past week caused some of his friends to appeal to Eldorado Forest officers for assistance.

The Ski Club rescue team, hearing of the situation, offered to go to his rescue and Poole and his associates were taken to Mosquito Tuesday morning by C. C. Herbert, forest road superintendent.

The skiers will be followed, at least a portion of the way, by Sam Speers, Mosquito CCC Camp work superintendent, and a crew with a tractor.

According to plans, if the skiers find Gaskell all right, they will retrace their steps immediately and notify the tractor crew so that the road will not be opened needlessly.

On the other hand, if Gaskell is in need of help, he can be brought out over the tractor-cleared road.

Poole and his party left the Mosquito section about 9 o'clock Tuesday morning and were not expected to return before late afternoon.

Former Diamond Man Passes At Stockton

Friends of Oliver Geiger, formerly of Diamond Springs, learned on Tuesday morning of his death on Monday evening at Stockton, where he had made his home for several years. Word concerning funeral arrangements was not received.

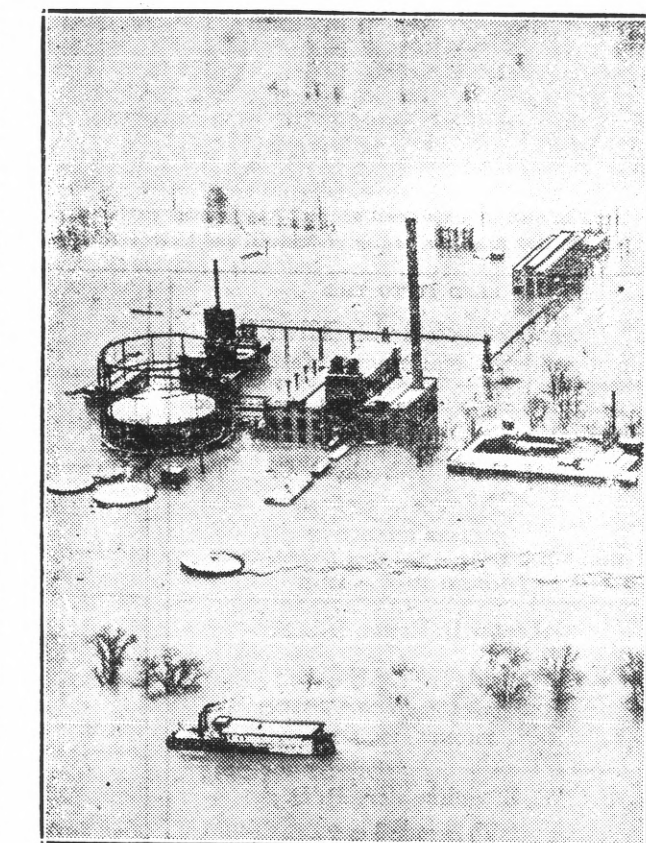
SILVER FORK HOTEL BUILDING DOWN UNDER WEIGHT OF SNOWS

"There are five feet of snow at Pacific Ranger Station and I've been around here a good many years and have never seen anything like that," commented Ranger M. D. Morris of Pacific district, Tuesday morning.

Ranger Morris returned to his desk in the forest headquarters Tuesday following a survey in portions of his district on Monday.

"You'd probably be accused of stretching things if you printed it, but the deer in the refuge are digging through two and three feet of snow to get acorns," he declared. "Of course, they aren't digging straight down on the level, but I saw numerous places where they had pawed through two or three feet of snow on the hillside."

"A coyote caught and killed a fawn near Riverton Monday afternoon. I came out of the refuge, came down to Snowline Camp and returned to Riverton and during the time I had been



FLOOD STOPS POWER—Here is an air view of the gas plant of the Louisville Gas & Electric Company in a sea of flood waters. When the water reached the giant dynamos of the company's electric plant, Louisville was paralyzed, bringing untold suffering to the stricken city. Hospitals, relief centers and homes burned candles or oil lamps.



Groundhog's Day today and we don't mean pork sausage.

According to reports, the groundhog did see that which we hoped he wouldn't see, so there.

But we learn that our weather is supposed to moderate and if the supposition is as good as the superstition, we'll probably live through it.

A report from Canada today says the Dionne quins are to be incorporated. Let's make it a limited corporation, huh?

The proposed amendment to the city's licensing ordinance, relating to firms doing business by truck, has been set over until the February 15th meeting for further consideration.

Frank Stroud, 40, and Charles Wills, 35, charged with disturbing the peace, were found guilty Tuesday morning before Police Judge Eugene Creed and given a limited time to leave the city.

2 Days To Get Auto Licenses

100 Per Cent Penalty For Failure To Obtain Plates

SACRAMENTO — Motorists cannot expect to renew their 1937 automobile license plates after February 4 without paying the 100 per cent penalty required by law, Howard E. Deems, registrar of motor vehicles, warned today.

"The period of grace has been fixed by the legislature and the Department of Motor Vehicles has no authority to grant extensions of time," said Deems.

"In years gone by it was possible to extend the renewal period from time to time to accommodate tardy motorists and relieve congestion in the department, but that situation no longer exists. After February 4, motorists must pay double for their tardiness."

RAIN IN CITY, SNOW REPORTED AT TOWN LIMITS

Although the rain storm of Monday night left .94 of an inch of rain in Placerville, additional snowfall was recorded almost at the city's eastern boundary.

Eight inches of new snow were reported for the night at Camino and at Snowline camp. Ten inches of new snow were recorded at Camp Five.

Georgetown reported six inches of new snow late Monday evening and on Tuesday morning Twin Lakes reported 13 inches of new snow with a total depth there of 83 inches.

Residents of Chapel Street now have a new street light to guide their steps home. Councilman Raber reported Monday night to the city council.

The city council will make a study of streets to determine at what points sidewalks are most severely needed, according to action taken at the Monday night meeting.

5 Incumbents Unopposed In Regular Vote

Collector-Treasurer And Assessor To Be Chosen

The regular election of El Dorado Irrigation District will be held on Wednesday.

To be elected are three directors, in their respective divisions, and a treasurer-tax collector and an assessor. The entire district will vote on these last two officers.

Upon the regular ballot, none of the five candidates is opposed for election.

James A. Irving, incumbent, is the candidate in Division 2; Dr. W. A. Rantz, incumbent, is the candidate in Division 3; and J. C. Schuman, incumbent, is the candidate in Division 4.

Florence Donnell, incumbent treasurer-tax collector, is unopposed for reelection as is Fred N. Hosking, incumbent assessor.

NO HIGH SCHOOL BEFORE MONDAY, LARSON STATES

There will be no resumption of classes at the county high school before Monday.

Present plans are that school will be resumed on that day.

This is according to B. E. Larson, principal, who said Tuesday that a survey of travel conditions made Monday indicates a large portion of the school would be absent if any attempt were made to resume classes this week.

"We're pointing toward Monday and hoping for a little more favorable weather," he said.

MRS. HOFFMAN IS SUMMONED MONDAY NIGHT

Mrs. Ruth S. Hoffman, wife of Henry A. Hoffman of Pleasant Valley, passed away at the family home on Monday evening following an extended illness.

Mrs. Hoffman was a native of Iowa. She came to this state as a child, having resided in California for 76 years, 62 years of which she lived in this county. She was 79 years old.

She was admired and respected by a large circle of neighbors and friends of almost life-long acquaintance.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by two daughters, living in Oregon, and by several grand children and great grand children, also of Oregon.

The funeral arrangements are in the care of the Dillinger mortuary.

GRIGGS TRIAL ON BURGLARY CHARGE IS SET

Trial of A. O. Griggs, of Diamond Springs, charged with burglary on two counts, was set Tuesday morning for Monday, February 8, after the defendant pleaded not guilty to an information filed by District Attorney Henry S. Lyon.

Griggs admitted a prior conviction. A jury panel of thirty was drawn and is being summoned by Sheriff George M. Smith.

The charge against Griggs arises out of the alleged theft of pelts from Cleo Polley. The defendant is being represented by Attorney Hale Day.



WORKER — General Mallin Craig, Chief of Staff of the Army, was called by President Roosevelt to aid flood sufferers. Other committee members are Robert Fechner, CCC head; Harry Hopkins, WPA head; Admiral William D. Leahy, Chief of Naval Operations; Rear Admiral Russell R. Weasche, Coast Guard Commander, and Admiral Cary T. Grayson, chairman of the American Red Cross.

Awning Study Council Plan

"Pros" And "Cons" Of Issue Discussed By Merchants

The question of whether the sheet-iron awnings along Main Street should be torn down will be put to all business men of the community by a committee of the city council including Councilmen Faugsted and Raber.

This was the final word following appearance before the council Monday night of A. H. Murray and E. E. Van Harlingen, urging removal of the awnings, and Max Baer, Perry Tracy and Bert Combellack, urging retention of the awnings.

All were agreed that if the awnings stay up they must be made safe and James P. Morton, marshal, will look at the awnings with this point in mind.

Turkey Dinner For Post On Wednesday

Members of El Dorado Post No. 119, American Legion, will meet at a turkey dinner Wednesday night at 6:30 o'clock at the War Veterans' Memorial Building. The regular meeting of the post will follow.

14 COMMITTEES APPOINTED FOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Committee chairmen and the members of committees, recently appointed for the ensuing year by El Dorado County Chamber of Commerce have been requested to meet with President A. H. Murray at Hotel Raffles on Friday night at 7:30 o'clock.

The meeting will outline work in various fields for the year.

Fourteen committees were named Monday by President Murray. The fourteenth committee is one which passes on solicitations and although we have the names of the committee-men, it is traditional in the organization that this be a secret committee.

The thirteen other committees are: Publicity, E. E. Van Harlingen, R. V. Whigam and Raymond Pyle;

Budget and auditing, Charles Doe, Edwin F. Smith and Carl Visman;

Highways, J. R. Johnson, W. H. Hays and H. V. Jespersen;

City and county, Cyril Heusner and M. E. Raber;

Flood's Crest Supreme Test Of New Levee

Crisis To Be Reached At Cairo, Ill., On Wednesday

CAIRO, Ill. (UP)—Sand boils in the 63-foot seawall protecting Cairo burst today, threatening to undermine the bulwark that is holding back flood waters.

Miniature geysers spouted from the streets. Emergency squads dumped thousands of sandbags into the holes.

Officials feared the seawall would break at the bottom, instead of at the top where an additional 3-foot barrier had been built.

The crest here is not expected for another 24 hours.

FIRE PERILS PADUCAH

PADUCAH, Ark. (UP)—Fire originating in several unoccupied cottages in an un-flooded section of the residential district destroyed three unoccupied dwellings, and the buildings of the Independent and Bradley coal companies before the blaze was brought under control and extinguished by the coast guard.

1,000 CONSCRIPTED

HELENA, Ark. (UP)—The Arkansas national guard today conscripted an additional 1,000 able-bodied men from refugee camps to help save the Mellwood levee, 45 miles below here.

SUMMARY

Known dead: 385.

Homeless: More than 1,000,000.

Damage: Estimated at \$500,000,000.

Test of strength—When the crest of the Ohio River strikes Cairo, Ill., probably tomorrow, engineers will learn which is the mightier, their levees or the river. The probable fate of Hickman, Ky., like Cairo protected by a floodwall; New Madrid, Mo., behind a government-built, main line levee; Tiptonville, Tenn., Helena and Mellwood, Ark., will be indicated by the effect of the flood on Cairo's 63-foot rampart.

Crest—The Ohio River is expected to reach 60.5 feet at Cairo, half a foot above the permanent floodwall and two and a half feet below the top of a temporary bulkhead.

Danger Point: The levee at Bessie, Tenn., battered by waves whipped up on the Mississippi by wind. The barrier protects 2000 refugees concentrated at Tiptonville.

Legislation, L. J. Anderson and H. E. Dillinger;

Membership, J. H. Rhodes, Harry Bell and John A. Raffetto, Jr.,

Mining, Harry Bell and E. Ogden Hook;

Aviation, W. H. Hays and Dr. D. W. Babcock;

Taxes, Swift Berry;

Sports, Dr. W. B. Schneider, Lloyd Cannon;

Irrigation, George Faugsted;

Merchants, H. V. Jespersen, L. A. Raffetto, E. E. Van Harlingen and P. S. Tracy;

Conservation, John Winkelman and L. A. Raffetto.

City Clerk Esther A. Mahler was unable to attend the Council meeting Monday night, owing to a bad cold. City Attorney Maul substituted for her and Miss Mahler was at her desk again Tuesday morning.

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When All Men Are Brothers



Autos Taxed High

The average automobile in California cost its owner \$36.71 in special motor vehicle taxes, state, local, and federal, during 1935, the last year for which complete figures are available. This tax was 20.3 per cent of the average car's value.

In California the 2,151,501 motor vehicles registered in that year were valued at \$389,443,196 and paid a total of \$78,991,839 in state, local, and federal taxes.

All motor vehicles in the entire United States were valued at \$4,746,272,622 and paid taxes aggregating \$1,286,157,907. The average vehicle was valued at \$181.01 while the average tax per vehicle was \$49.05 or 27.097 per cent of value.

PARADE OF SPORTS

By HENRY McEMORE
(United Press Staff Writer)

By LESLIE AVERY, pinch-hitting for Henry McEmore who is on flood duty.

NEW YORK (UP)—Putting the sport shots here and there. Table tennis statisticians say there are now more than 3,000,000 players of the game in the United States. . . . they claim that the sport now ranks tenth in the nation in this respect. . . . Jimmy Wilde who used to boss the flyweights, is reported as having now passed the 190-pound mark. . . .

Dave Levin, "Jamaica butcher boy" of the wrestling ring and a former title claimant, is recovering slowly from a blood stream infection. . . . He has had several blood transfusions. . . . Harness horse racing is enjoying a boom in Ohio. . . . Two old-time harness horse fixtures, the merchants and manufacturers stake and the chamber of commerce stake, have been revived for this season in Toledo.

Ohio's buckeye conference basketball championship race has been knocked haywire by the floods. . . . Many games postponed because of lack of transportation facilities. . . . New York baseball writers are hollering because John McGraw hasn't been voted a niche in the Cooperstown Hall of Fame. . . . Speaking of sports boycotts—baseball fans of Joe Vosnick's neighborhood in Cleveland are urging everybody to ignore the Indians home games because of the deal which sent Joe to the St. Louis Browns. . . .

A record entry of 3,114 dogs has been made for the Westminster Kennel Club's 61st annual all-breed bench show starting in Madison Square Garden on February 10. . . . The indoor track and field season which finally got off to a real start at Boston on Saturday, will swing along this week with the Millrose fixture at the Garden here. . . . Glenn Cunningham, who set a new record at 4:11.9 in the Curley mile at Boston, heads the list of star entries which includes three Olympic champions, John Woodruff, negro Pitt sophomore, winner of the Olympic 880-meter; Earle Meadows, handsome Californian, who won the pole vault at Berlin, and Cornelius Johnson, limber-limbed negro from Los Angeles, who

The Book-Mark

By WIBORADE

A famous Boston book seller tells us that it is the exceptional book that is not forgotten two months after publication. It is a depressing thought to think of the many books meeting oblivion too soon. On the other hand, we can cheer ourselves with the thought of the fine books that survive. We are especially interested in one book that has held its own for the last year. It is Robin Lampson's "Laughter Out of the Ground." We were told that in the San Francisco public library it is one of the six books, which include "Gone With the Wind" and "Anthony Adverse" that have had the greatest circulation of the year. Another honor conferred on the book has been the fine limited edition issued by Scribner; the only limited edition, by the way, that Scribner issued last year.

It is 89 years ago that gold was discovered and we know of no book that tells the story so adequately as "Laughter Out of the Ground." For El Dorado it should be not the book of the year, but in a strict sense, the book of all time. Mr. Lampson gives us a swiftly moving story about the summons of gold and the ringing response. Those who have read the book (and if there are any who have not, we cannot urge you too greatly to do so) will remember that "Laughter Out of the Ground" is the story of two men and their friendship who meet on their way to the gold fields.

For Gilbert Porter, gold has no lure—"Funny thing, this gold," he says:

"I wonder what gives it its terrible lure? It can't be eaten, or worn as a coat, or burned for fuel. It plows no land, is no food for seed and will tie no sheaves. Horses won't eat it, it milks no cows and it weaves no wool by itself. Yet it buys the doing of all these things."

After a few months in the mountains, Porter settles in the Sonoma Valley where his life reaches an ample fulfillment and where he attains a fine philosophy.

Samuel Gibson is the tragic hero with a flaw in his character. He must meet many an adventure before life reveals its meaning to him. He plunges eagerly into the search for gold—

"I honestly believe

That I like this adventure—the journey, the risks and hardships and excitement.

The hordes of men rushing eagerly forward, and not knowing why. And never stopping to think why or ask why."

It has been asked why did not Mr. Lampson write his story in prose? But after all, is not the poetical language of an age the current language heightened? Mr. Lampson gives the following excellent reason for not using prose—"I felt that Samuel Gibson and Gilbert Porter and the other protagonists of my tale are, in the epic sense, racial heroes of the American people; their experiences during a very eventful and colorful period of history, are of the stuff of sagas, to be chanted aloud and their story should be told in cadence and in poetry as far as possible."

There have been many books on the gold rush but Mr. Lampson's book has the authentic note seldom found. His grandfather was an original 49er so that as a child Robin Lampson absorbed these stories as naturally as he grew. Now he digs up these childhood memories which are deep-tintured in his very blood and from which the human and familiar accent is never for one moment lost and he clothes them in a language of vigor and beauty. In this way he preserves the edge and the flavor of a common enough theme. The story of Samuel Gibson and Gilbert Porter attains an air of timelessness. Porter's words to Gibson's son are timely today—

"Remember, my boy, there are two ways of putting hands to the earth, one is:

To get goods and gold, taking for granted the greater importance of things; the other is to make things grow, to bring oneself and other.

Living things of the earth to fruition. The first, I am afraid, mistakes having for living."

We were interested to learn that Mr.

Lampson is at work on another story that Scribner will publish.

Compton Mackenzie has aroused our suspicion about new writers named George. We ask immediately—"Is it a woman?" "George" Mr. Mackenzie points out, is the favorite name of women writers. Do you remember George Eliot, George Sand, George Paston, George Preedy, George Egerton? All members of the gentler sex. Yet Bernard Shaw puts "George" in brackets when he designs to use it and H. G. Wells buries "George" in an initial!

In his new book "A Book Maker's Holiday," Mr. Rosenbach that peer of

The gross income from dairying in Tulare County for 1936 was over \$3,000,000.

bookmen, reminds us that wholesome murder is not the product of the modern mystery. He shows us that Shakespeare made all he could out of murder. "In 'Titus Andronicus,' thirteen of the eighteen characters are killed," says Mr. Rosenbach. In "Romeo and Juliet" there are three murders and two suicides. In "Bacchus" six of the main characters are killed and there is one suicide. In "Lear" there are six murders, one suicide and one natural death. In "Hamlet" seven are killed with a drowning thrown in for good measure."

GRANGE NOTES

Hangtown Grange

The regular meeting of Hangtown Grange is postponed until the regular meeting night, February 19th.

When Councilman Frost reported to the council Monday night that the city water situation is satisfactory, Mayor George E. Faugstad suggested that a letter of appreciation should be sent to the CCC camp for services furnished the city in a threatened water shortage in January. Such was the order.

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Reporting To Uncle

By Harry F. O'Niell



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MINE INSURANCE COST CUT SEEN BY STATE SOLON

Senator A. L. Pierovich of Jackson, in addressing a last joint meeting of the Sacramento chamber of commerce mining committee and the Sacramento chapter of the Northern California Mining Association, declared mine operators can be assured of a material reduction in compensation insurance rates as the result of measures being drafted in the state legislature.

"The reduction of the insurance rates," he said, "will entice eastern capitalists to invest in California mineral lands and will clear the way for more large-scale operation in low grade areas."

Senator Pierovich, a member of the legislative mining committee, urged the miners to unite to better enable them to straighten out their problems.

He declared that since the increase in the price of gold, mining has regained the status of a great industry on the upgrade. He said that although there is some itinerant placering and small claim output, most of the operations now are on a large basis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Murray were Tuesday visitors at San Francisco.

Police court fines in January were \$197.50. Police Judge Eugene Creed reported to the council Monday night.

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Places to go

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FIFTY-FOURTH ANNUAL FIREMEN'S BALL on Saturday night, February 6th., at I.O.O.F. hall, Placerville. Music by Red's Rhythm Rascals. Tickets \$1.50, tax included. Ladies Free.



17 DIE IN FLORIDA BUS—A wrecking crew pulls the 40-foot Miami to St. Petersburg bus, in which 17 people were drowned when it swerved from the Tamiami Trail into a canal 30 miles from Miami. Sixteen other passengers escaped from the submerged bus. Collapse of the front wheel was blamed for the accident.

HYDRAULIC MINE MEN TO MEET AT COLFAX, FEB. 6th

A meeting of the Hydraulic Miners Association, furthering their phase of the program to erect debris dams on the American and other rivers to permit hydraulic mining, will be held in Colfax on Saturday.

"The hydraulic miners stand a good chance of losing an entire operating season unless the assurances and land title forms are filed immediately with the California Debris Commission," according to Major W. E. Harris, staff member of the commission.

Only three of the thirteen companies have filed their forms with the commission, one of these being the Mayflower on the Forest Hill divide. The Paragon and one other company are the only two left to file their forms on the Middle fork and according to Major Harris the Ruck-a-Chucky side is ready for work at the time when the forms are filed.

Although funds have been allocated for the work on the North Fork and the Middle Fork there is no definite assurance that the funds would remain available unless they were utilized immediately. Many of the men in the association offered their assistance in clearing up the matter of assurances and title forms in their districts. George McAuley, Fred Harvey and George Duffy volunteered their services for this district.

The joint committee of the mining industry extended the invitation to the Hydraulic Miners Association to join their organization. The hydraulic association accepted the invitation with a unanimous vote after a heated discussion and W. G. Allan of Smartsville was selected as the association representative to the joint committee.

The Nevada County Board of Supervisors voted \$300 to the treasury of the association and the check was received at the meeting by Treasurer George McAuley who recently received a Placer County contribution of the same amount.

Tri-County Clubs Convene Feb. 26th

The regular meeting of the Tri-County Federation of Women's Clubs will be held February 26th, at Loomis. Preparations for the meeting formed the principal order of business at a meeting at the Shakespeare Club-house on Wednesday last, at which Mrs. Harriett Amstalden, president, was hostess to the Tri-County Federation Board and a very lovely luncheon. The business meeting of the board followed, according to a report by Mrs. Harriette Burger, secretary.

Rev. Barrett Speaks Before Jackson Lions

Father John Barrett shared the speaking program at last week's meeting of Jackson Lions with State Senator A. L. Pierovich.

The latter reviewed work of the recent legislative session. Father Barrett spoke of the great need for everyone to support constructive forces in community life.

COUNTY FLOOD RELIEF FUND IS FIVE TIMES ORIGINAL QUOTA

El Dorado County Red Cross chapter has gone over the top in a big way in raising its quota for flood relief, it was announced Tuesday morning by M. T. Kelly, chapter chairman.

The original quota was \$80 and the chapter has raised \$426.04 up to Tuesday morning and of this amount \$390 has been forwarded to the National Red Cross.

The balance, Mr. Kelly said, would go forward on Tuesday.

Mr. Kelly reports that numbers of those who have contributed expressed a willingness to duplicate their contributions if such be necessary but that

at this time no further solicitation will be called for, pending word from the national headquarters.

AREA REPORT

SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—Pacific area states have subscribed \$643,823 for the relief of sufferers in flood stricken states it was announced by the area headquarters of the American Red Cross here.

Contributions by states were as follows: California \$462,124; Washington \$69,445; Oregon \$34,160; Arizona \$31,412; Utah \$13,315; Idaho \$12,815; Nevada \$7054, and Alaska \$3494.

Councilman M. E. Raber has been named by Mayor Faugstad to act for the city on the city-county library committee.

James P. Morton, city marshal, informed the council Monday night that there are no city business licenses delinquent.

Recorder's Filings

January 30

Trust Deed—Vern E. Mullen and Lorraine Mullen, his wife, to trustees of State Bank of Taft.

February 1

Agreement—John A. Shields and Frances May Shields, with L. L. McCandless.

Notary's bond of C. R. Nichols. Abstract of Judgment—Robert E. Stout vs. Harley B. Lewright.

Trust Deed—W. D. Barton and Ouida Barton, husband and wife, to Ralph Kyburz and Mary A. Kyburz, trustees for Lora Blair, executrix of the estate of Albert B. Kyburz, deceased.

Garbage To Be Topic At City Open House

Consideration of the proposed municipal garbage ordinance was put over without date Monday night by the city council after some discussion. The proposed ordinance imposes a 50-cent fee for one month, to pay for collections of garbage once each week, and as at present drawn is compulsory upon all business places and households.

Various councilmen expressed themselves as not satisfied to pass the ordinance immediately and it was agreed that some evening the council will hold a special meeting on the question and invite all parties interested to attend.

The new cabinet type lavatories serve the purpose of towel storage as well. The problem of keeping a supply of bath room linen available is always a hard one to solve, so this new cabinet should be very popular.

A modern version of the breakfast nook is the dining corner, reminiscent of your favorite seat in a smart restaurant. An upholstered bench is placed at right angles along the wall, with a table in front.

Dr. Burger Rites Held

Former County Ranch And Mine Operator Is Summoned

Funeral services for Dr. B. E. Burger of 341 North Fifth Street, San Jose, who died at that city on Friday, were held Monday in the Santa Clara County seat under auspices of the Masonic lodge. Cremation followed.

Dr. Burger was 79 years of age and had lived with his family at San Jose for about 14 years, following retirement from ranching and mining operations in this county.

Leo C. Burger of Placerville, a nephew, accompanied by Mrs. Burger, was at San Jose for the last rites and returned to Placerville Monday evening.

Dr. Burger was a native of Michigan and a graduate of the school of dental surgery at the state university.

He came to Placerville in 1902 and owned the Aloha ranch at one time, near the six-mile stone. He also was interested in mining operations and at one time owned the Landecker mine, being also interested in operations at Newtown and at Dry Gulch, above Pleasant Valley.

He retired from active life on moving to San Jose.

Dr. Burger was a member of the Masonic lodge at Saratoga, Wyoming.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Louella Burger, three daughters, Miss Nathalie Burger, Mrs. Zola Smith and Mrs. Dr. Russell Capps, one granddaughter, Corliss Burger; and one sister, Mrs. Edwina Racer, all of San Jose, in addition to more distant relatives.

Louis Wunschel Jr., was in town Tuesday from Rescue.

Claudette Colbert says:
"My throat is safest with
a light smoke"



"An actress' throat is naturally very important to her. After experimenting, I'm convinced my throat is safest with a light smoke and that's why you'll find Luckies always on hand both in my home and in my dressing room. I like the flavor of other cigarettes also, but frankly, Luckies appeal most to my taste."

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An independent survey was made recently among professional men and women—lawyers, doctors, lecturers, scientists, etc. Of those who said they smoke cigarettes, 87% stated they personally prefer a light smoke.

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COAST LEAGUE OPENS SEASON ON APRIL 3rd

SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—The official schedule for the 1937 Pacific Coast league season was released today, providing for a season that opens April 3 and ends September 19.

The eight teams of the circuit will play 25 series each in the interval between opening day and the windup of the campaign.

The season opens with Seattle at Sacramento, the Mission Reds vs. the San Francisco Seals at San Francisco, Portland at Oakland, and San Diego at Los Angeles. This series will last only two days, and then the teams move around for a six-day series beginning April 6, with Los Angeles at Sacramento, Portland at San Francisco, the Missions at San Diego and Seattle at Oakland.

The Pacific Northwest will get its first taste of baseball for the season on April 20 when San Francisco opens at Seattle and Los Angeles at Portland.

The O'Shaughnessy plan of determining the champion again will be in effect with the teams occupying the top four berths at the end of the schedule qualifying for the play-offs the following week.

Georgetown Man Is Able To Work Again

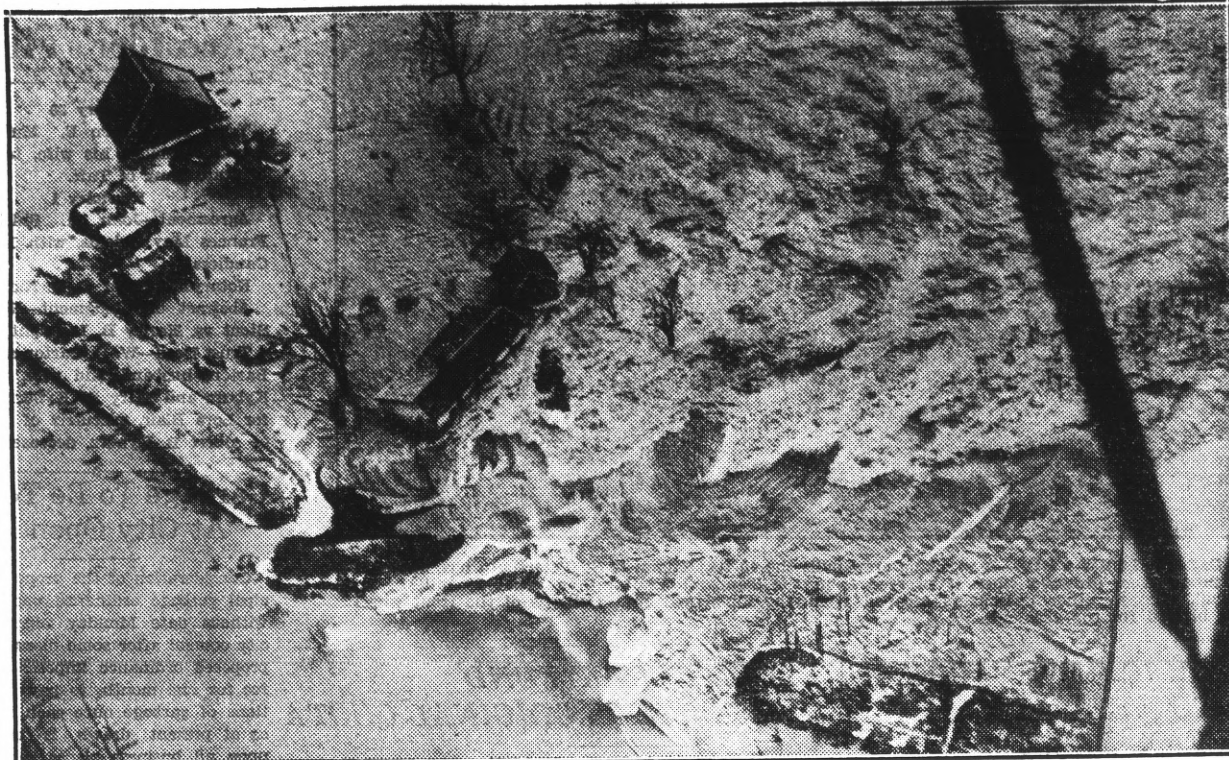
O. R. Mont-Eton of Georgetown, has returned to work after spending the better part of a week in an Auburn hospital following injuries received while working at his mining property.

Mont-Eton is helping out on the telephone line work in connection with the building of a line from Garden Valley to the Black Oak mine.

Shingle Springs Mine Worker Died Tuesday

Peter Monte, an employee of the Mountain Copper Company, at Shingle Springs, died Tuesday morning at a Placerville hospital of pneumonia.

The body is in the care of the Dillinger mortuary and will be removed to San Francisco for funeral services and interment under the direction of the H. F. Suhr Company.



LEVEE—Raging flood waters burst through a broken levee near New Madrid, Mo., just after Army engineers blasted it to save Cairo, Ill., from the flood. Water licked at the top of Cairo's 60-foot sea wall before the levee was broken, allowing the flood to spread out over a 200-square mile basin. Despite all precautions, many people were trapped in the basin. The flood rolled on down the Mississippi as southern cities frantically prepared for a super-disaster.

SEASONAL RAINFALL

July	.07
August	.00
September	1.74
October	.64
November	.00
December	5.79
January 5	.67
January 6	.25
January 11	.10
January 12	.28
January 14	.45
January 15	.31
January 16	.46
January 18	.30
January 24	.26
January 27	.24
January 28	1.51
January 29	.59
January 30	1.51
February 1	.94
Total	17.02
The normal to March 1	is 28.1278.

ON THE AIR TONIGHT

5 to 6 p. m.

KFBK—Paul Martin; 5:30, Popeye; 5:45, Organ.

KSFO—Music Hall; 5:30, Jack Armstrong; 5:45, Stories.

KPO—Josef Hornik; 5:30, Zarova; 5:45, News.

KGO—Paul Martin; 5:30, Trio; 5:45, Invisible Trails.

KFRC—Dance Music; 5:15, Popeye; 5:30, Listen to This.

6 to 7 p. m.

KFBK—Concert; 6:30, Fred Astaire. KSFO—White Fires; 6:15, Silhouette; 6:30, Jack Oakie.

KPO—S. F. Government; 6:15, Concert; 6:30, Fred Astaire.

KGO—Ben Bernie; 6:30, Husbands & Wives.

KFRC—Tom Sawyer; 6:15, to be announced; 6:45, Drums.

7 to 8 p. m.

KFBK—Serenade; 7:15, Jack and Dorothy; 7:30, Calling All Cars.

KSFO—7:30, Strange As It Seems; 7:45, Male Chorus.

KPO—7:30, Jimmy Fidler; 7:45, Who Am I?

KGO—Band; 7:30, Bishop and Gargoyle.

KFRC—Sinfonietta; 7:30, To be announced.

8 to 9 p. m.

KFBK—Johnny Hamp; 8:15, Lum & Abner; 8:30, Culbertson; 8:45, Ted Fiorito.

KSFO—Poetic Melodies; 8:15, Renfrew; 8:30, Al Jolson.

KPO—Amos 'n' Andy; 8:15, Vox Pop; 8:30, Leo Reisman.

KGO—California C. of C.; 8:15, Lum and Abner; 8:30, Dude Ranch.

KFRC—George Hamilton; 8:15, Ted Weens; 8:30, Fred Martin.

9 to 10 p. m.

KFBK—Sports; 9:15, Paul Pendarvis; 9:30, Air Explorer; 9:45, Griff Williams.

KSFO—Al Pearce; 9:30, Alexander Wollcott; 9:45, Ozzie Nelson.

KPO—Death Valley Days; 9:30, Good Morning Tonight.

KGO—Phil Ohman; 9:30, See KFBK.

KFRC—News; 9:15, Horace Heidt; 9:30, Dance Band; 9:45, Emerson Gill.

10 to 11 p. m.

KFBK—Bernie Cummins; 10:30, Jimmie Grier.

KSFO—Larry Lee; 10:30, Tom Tucker; 10:45, Ted Fiorito.

KPO—News; 10:15, Stringing Along; 10:30, Eddie Fitzpatrick.

KGO—Paul Pendarvis; 10:30, Jimmy Grier.

KFRC—Al Kavelin; 10:15, Drama; 10:30, Dance Band.

11 to 12 midnight

KFBK—News; 11:15, Paul Carson; 11:45, Red Foster.

KSFO—Henry King; 11:30, Kenney Allen.

KPO—Herb Saman; 11:30, Ran Wilde.

KGO—Paul Carson.

KFRC—Dance Bands.

When an extra bedroom or living room is needed, an addition may be built to a house with funds obtained from a private financial institution which operates under the terms of the modernization credit plan of the Federal Housing Administration.

Fresno County again led the state in honey production in 1936.

New Subdivisions Puzzle Councilmen

The city council is considering a proposition that the maintenance of streets on new subdivisions shall remain with the property owner for five years after the subdivision is accepted by the city. This, councilmen explain,

has been customary in the past and is advisable at this time since the city's street funds are not sufficient to be spread out over so large an area. No formal action was taken Monday night. The matter was laid over to an adjourned meeting on February 15.

Miss Maggie Akins is among those at San Francisco for Market Week.

SPORTSMEN SET 28 QUAIL FREE OVER WEEK-END

The last of a series of game bird liberations in the county, financed by Chamber of Commerce funds for 1936, was completed this week-end when 28 quail were set free in the Cold Springs district.

The birds had been received as fledglings from the state game farm at Yountville and matured at the Lloyd Raffetto ranch. As soon as the coops were vacated by the older birds, they were filled again with 28 fledglings from the game farm.

The quail were released with leg bands and all sportsmen are requested to follow the instructions on the bands and report to the Fish and Game headquarters when they kill a bird with a band on its leg.

In addition to the 28 quail, 369 pheasants were propagated and liberated in the county during 1936 by Mr. Raffetto, Dick Patterson and John Winkelman under Chamber of Commerce sponsorship.

MAN FRACTURES ANKLE IN FALL THROUGH ROOF

The only casualty of the recent snow-storm reported up to Tuesday morning was M. C. Ransford, 64, employed at ranch work on the Milo Carr ranch.

Ransford crushed through the shakes on a shed roof at the Carr ranch Saturday and suffered a broken ankle.

He is at a Sacramento hospital under the care of Dr. D. W. Babcock.

Pat O'Neill, who has been ill the past two months in Reno, is home and greeting his many friends.

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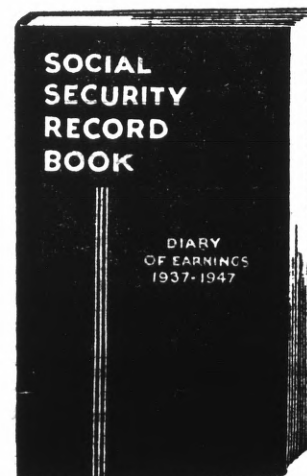
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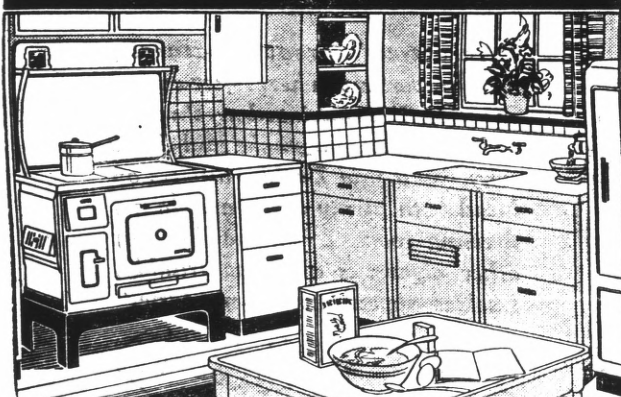
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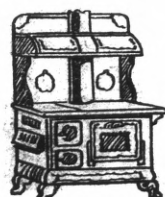
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